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### **Pet Travel: Brazil**

# Download the form needed to get your animal into the country

- Go to <u>www.aphis.usda.gov</u> and follow the links in the left column please note our website is undergoing constant change and previously bookmarked links very well may not work at the time of preparing this document the link <u>here</u> takes you directly to the animal export IREGS.
- Click on Brazil. Under "Pets" there will be a model health certificate for dogs and cats. Download the bilingual certificate. For a sample certificate showing how to complete the document, please click here.

### **Brazil's Requirements:**

- Microchip optional. If pet is microchipped, please include DATE of implantation.
- Rabies vaccination for pets over 90 days old.
- Treatment against internal and external parasites within 15 days of issuance of the health certificate.

# Documents required by the USDA's Office:

- Signed Brazil Model Health Certificate, dated within 10 days of departure.
- Signed rabies vaccination certificate.
- A signed International Health Certificate for Small Animals (APHIS Form 7001) (optional may be required by the airline). Contact your airline representative to find out if this form is required.

#### Fee Schedule for endorsement by USDA

- Brazil Health Certificate: \$38.00 for each certificate.
- No charge for the APHIS Form 7001 (normally \$38.00) if submitted with the certificate.
- Make checks and money orders payable to: USDA APHIS. All credit cards are accepted. We do not accept cash. Please include a driver's license number on all checks.

### **Send your certificate(s) and payment to:**

USDA, APHIS VS, 903 San Jacinto Blvd, Export Section, Room 262, Austin, TX 78701 ONLY SEND CERTIFICATES HERE IF SIGNED BY A TEXAS VETERINARIAN

Completed certificates will be returned to you by regular mail unless a prepaid, preaddressed (addressed from you to you), air bill is provided. **WE CANNOT ACCEPT A HANDWRITTEN LABEL UNLESS THERE IS AN ACCOUNT NUMBER LISTED FOR PAYMENT.** Always keep the tracking numbers so you can check with the delivery service to find out the status of your documents.

#### Walk-ins

We accept walk-ins between 7:30am and 11:30am. We can also either call you when your documents are completed or you may leave a prepaid, pre-addressed return air bill. Our office is open from 7:30am to 4:00pm M-F.

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